

CATHOLIC INTERDICT IS WEDDED

**FORMER PRIEST TAKES
AMAMUENSIS FOR
WIFE**

CAUSE OF TURMOIL IN CHURCH CIRCLES

**Was Imprisoned Seven
Months By Tory Govern-
ment of England**

Special to Daily Leader.
Chicago, Ill., April 5.—Jeremiah J. Crowley, the former Roman Catholic priest whose criticism of church affairs and his fellow churchmen in the Chicago diocese brought him under the ban of an ecclesiastical interdict, is now a married man.

This action on the part of the former priest destroys the last possibility of his ever reentering the priesthood, and, unless an exception is made in his case, will result in his absolute excommunication from the Catholic church.

The first announcement of the marriage of the former priest was made in the True Voice, the Roman Catholic periodical published weekly in Omaha, Neb. The paper received its information from Rev. J. P. McCarthy, the priest of the parish in Schuyler, Neb., of which Mrs. Crowley was a communicant.

Before the wedding, Mrs. Crowley was Miss Blanche MacLeod, and was employed as a stenographer in the office of Mr. Crowley. Mr. Crowley is engaged in the real estate business in Glenburn, a small suburb of Seattle, Wash. Prior to leaving Chicago he was in the publishing business, his publications being books and pamphlets attacking the Roman Catholic hierarchy. The wedding ceremony was performed in Seattle March 9.

For many years Father Crowley was a cause of turmoil in church circles. He was an Irish-born priest, and by many was regarded as having been put forward by persons more powerful than he to lead the fight against American-born priests. He was born in the City of Cork in 1861, and was graduated from St. Patrick's Seminary in Carlow in 1886, being immediately ordained to the clergy. His first two years were in New Hampshire. After he returned to Ireland he was imprisoned for seven months by the Tory government of England for assisting a Protestant who had been evicted from his premises in the western part of the County of Cork.

He first came to Chicago in 1896 to become assistant pastor of the Nativity church. Thirty-seventh and Union streets. In 1899 he was appointed pastor of St. Mary's church at Orem, Utah. It was there that he started his fight on his fellow clergymen in the Chicago archdiocese.

His next move was to array himself against Rt. Rev. Peter J. Muldoon, now auxiliary bishop of Chicago, and to protest against his elevation to that office. So bitter did Father Crowley become in his endeavors that at one time it was necessary to summon police to escort him from the residence of the late Archbishop Peckham. He was instructed from ecclesiastical authorities to leave the city, and after leaving mass in the diocese, and after creating several disturbances at the services in the cathedral, released him to go, and devoted himself to gathering the profits from the books which he wrote.

Banker G. L. Gilbert is here from Oklahoma City.

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HUGHES COUNTY UNION MET AT HOLDENVILLE

Holdenville, Okla., April 4.—The farmers' union of Hughes county assembled in convention in this city today with 100 delegates in attendance. States Lecturer S. H. Green, of Marlow, together with several other prominent union men of the state were present.

Tonight the commercial club of the city gave a banquet to the delegates. The city band furnished the music. An address of welcome was delivered on behalf of the city and responded to by the union. An open air session was given also by the union, which was well attended.

SAVE GOVERNOR'S PICTURE AND ASBESTOS EDITORIALS

Special to Daily Leader.
McAlester, Okla., April 4.—The Union Herald printing office was damaged to the amount of \$800 by a fire that broke out in a restaurant on the ground floor of the building. Several cases of type were melted and some cases destroyed. A picture of Governor Haskell, framed and hanging above the editor's desk, was saved from the flames, along with a string of unpublished editorials.

GRANT VICTOR TAKES CHARGE OF HIS OFFICE.

Special to Daily Leader.
Muskogee, Okla., April 4.—Grant Victor, recently appointed marshal of the Eastern district of Oklahoma to take the place of A. G. Pryor, whose appointment by the President was turned down by the senate, arrived here this morning to take charge of the office. He announced that Ernest Hubbard, of Muskogee, would be his chief deputy. Hubbard was chief deputy under Marshal Bennett for several years.

Man's perfidy has caused so much misery in the world that we wonder that half the men can not get any woman to trust them.

APOTHEOSIS OF EQUITATION

**Riding Equine Outlaws Ex-
citing Feature of 101 Ranch
Wild West Show**

The equine outlaws with the 101 Ranch Wild West show constitute one of the most exciting features of the diversified institution which will pitch its tent here on Wednesday, April 15. There are a score of these so-called "backing" horses, born with a spirit of evil combat and unrelenting resistance to human efforts at subjugation. The daily struggles of the cowboys to temporarily subdue the brutes provide moments which stir the blood and fire the heart of every beholder.

Miller Brothers have brought from their 100,000-acre ranch a drove of four-footed beasts whose hostility to man is fabled and irresistible. These are "backers" by nature, whose hatred for brute and man increases with age and association. Unhappily, they are docile. With the appearance of strap or rope they become demons incarnate, a menace to the life and limb of the human being who approaches, and indifferent to the savage passion which dominates them, to their own fate.

Despite the grim danger of the undertaking, the rough-and-ready men of the plains accept their daily tussle with a keen and exultant zest. The arena is converted into an exaggerated corral and into it are herded the "buckies," their eyes flattened, their waxy eyes gleaming ominously, their clenched teeth carving through circles of lips, and every instinct in revolt. The duty of the cowboys is to bridle, saddle and mount these quadruped desperadoes and stay astride until they have won a temporary victory or have been vanquished.

MODERN WOOD.

MEN'S RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were adopted at the county convention of the Modern Woodmen.

We, the members of the Modern Woodmen of America in the county of Logan, state of Oklahoma, duly assembled in convention on this first day of April, 1908, wish to express and send to Woodcraft every where our hearty greetings and best wishes and congratulate all the Woodmen upon the splendid condition of our fraternity. We wish to endorse the present administration of Woodcraft and endorse the action of our local council, A. R. Talbot, and our local clerk, C. W. Haxson, and Directors Murphy, Smith, Hyman and Root, and instruct our delegates to the state camp to vote and work for delegates who are in favor of the re-election of the above named local officers. We feel that their services have caused the splendid growth of Woodcraft and their election should be made unanimous.

We wish further to endorse our esteemed fellow townsman Hon. J. S. Schaefer, who is now the state deputy of Oklahoma, and commend him to the head officers for his faithful services, his high standing as a citizen and man and ask that he be re-elected as the state deputy in Oklahoma.

We wish to endorse the candidacy of Geo. L. Bowman, of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, for the position of a member of the board of auditors. We feel that Mr. Bowman is especially qualified for this service and his years of toil in the interest of Woodcraft entitles him to be state and we feel that Oklahoma should have a place in the official family.

G. H. Stanger, F. L. Green, D. A. Stintony, Committee on Resolutions.

LEDBETTER IS TERROR TO OUTLAWS

**MUSKOGEE'S NEW
POLICE CHIEF HAS
A RECORD**

"BUD" HAS REPUTATION AS PEACE OFFICER

**No One Able to Tell Num-
ber of Notches on His
Gun Handle**

Special to Daily Leader.

Muskogee, Okla., April 6.—J. F. Ledbetter, better known all over the Southwest as "Bud" Ledbetter, who has just been elected chief of police in Muskogee, is a man whose presence will quell a riot quicker than a whole squad of police, and whose name is a terror to every outlaw that has infested this country for twenty years. He was elected on his record, and is the only democratic candidate on the ticket who pulled through. He made this record while a deputy marshal under Marshal Leo E. Bennett, during the federal regime in Indian Territory. In the city election his old chief headed the republican ticket, and Ledbetter was a candidate on the opposition ticket.

The result of his election was one of the greatest triumphs ever paid to a man in the new country. On the day of election there were twenty-five saloons running in Muskogee and nearly as many gambling houses. Every one of these closed, and to a man the saloon and gambling element, perfectly organized and with a hoard of money went to the polls and fought Ledbetter all day long. It was announced the next morning that Ledbetter had been elected by a close margin. The saloons and gambling houses immediately closed their doors and have not been opened since. They knew that it meant a fight with Ledbetter, and they knew what the result would be, and they quit before a fight was necessary.

He is 44 years old and has been an officer almost since he was old enough to vote. For eight years he was a deputy sheriff in Western Arkansas. Then he came to Indian Territory and was for ten years a deputy under Marshal Bennett. Two years he was chief of police in Vinita. During the last three years under Bennett he confided in him and was given \$80,000 worth of liquor illegally shipped into the territory.

Ledbetter has many notches on his gun, but just how many no one is able to tell. When he is asked he replies that he does not know, and that he does not like to talk about such things. The only way to get the details of a killing in which he took part is to get him started talking about the fight and let him run on. When he gets up to the point where he had to kill his man he stops. A serious sadness comes into his eyes and nothing can induce him to go farther. Men who have long been in the same service say that he has laid at least a dozen men low, and he never received a scratch in all these desperate fights.

He added two more men to his list in Muskogee about a year ago when he walked right up to a house in which rioters were fortified and killed two men on the porch after they had opened fire on him. This probably made fourteen men he has killed, and he never started a fight until it was absolutely necessary and he never shot a man in his life until it became a question of self defense.

His fearlessness makes even outlaws respect him, and he seems to have a sort of second sight for criminals. He is a man of powerful physique, over six feet tall and weighs 200 pounds. He walks with a limp, the result of a broken leg which he got while chasing a criminal in Vinita. With a six-shooter he can hit a target the size of a man's head at 100 yards every shot, and there is not a better shot with a Winchester in Oklahoma. He never made but one speech during this campaign and that was this: "Gentlemen, if you elect me I will enforce the law." The men who wanted the law enforced knew he would do it, and those who did not want it, did not consider it safe to experiment.

8 STATES TO NAME DELEGATES

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that order. The senate will be re-elected of the necessity or resorting to the general election on which there are always many bills which the leaders prefer to have remain there.

Both the republican and democratic parties of South Dakota will meet in convention on Tuesday, the republicans at Huron, and the democrats at Mitchell. The Delaware republican state convention will meet at Dover on the same day, and on Wednesday the Virginia republicans will gather at Lynchburg.

On Friday the Massachusetts republican convention will be held at Lowell, and on Saturday the New York state republican state convention will meet in New York City. At all of these conventions delegates to the annual convention will be elected.

Pennsylvania, district conventions are done away with, candidates of all parties being selected at the primaries.

Candidates' Busy Week.

Aspirants for presidential honors will put in a busy week. Secretary Taft will address the McKinley club at Omaha this evening. Tomorrow he will attend a banquet given in his honor by the Commercial club of Council Bluffs, and then journey to Cincinnati, where on Thursday afternoon he will be entertained by the Cincinnati chamber of commerce, and in the evening attend a banquet given by the Phoenix club of Cincinnati. On Friday he probably will visit Louisville, returning to Washington on Saturday.

Governor Hughes plans to provide for a speech tonight before the Brooklyn league, when he will have something to say on the anti-gambling bill; Friday he will attend the annual dinner of the Watertown, N. Y., chamber of commerce, at which Congressman Adam Bede, of Minnesota, will also speak, and on Saturday the governor will be in Buffalo, where a reception will be held at the University club, previous to his review of the Seventh fourth regiment in the morning. Later he will address the Lawyers club of Buffalo. William J. Bryan will speak in Denver tonight, and begin a speaking campaign in New York state at Rochester on Friday.

DELEWARE WILL SEND UNINSTRUCTED DELEGATION.

(By Associated Press.)

Dover, Delaware, April 6.—Tomorrow's state republican convention to select delegates to the national convention will be controlled by United States Senators Dupont and Richardson. The delegation will go to Chicago uninstructed. It is conceded that T. Coleman Dupont will be selected as member of the republican national committee to succeed J. Edward Adair.

A London physician says people would live longer if they would only eat less. But what's the use of living if you can't eat?

PRESENTED WITH LICENSE

**Guthrie Shows Her Ap-
preciation and Friendship
for Miller Brothers**

Guthrie, Okla., April 1, 1908.

Miller Bros. 101 Ranch, Bliss, Okla. My Dear Friends:—Here in please find your license for April 15 with compliments of our citizens.

I could have raised enough to bring your train, but had all I could do to hold them to \$2.00 each. With a fair day you will find an exceeding good attendance as our citizens feel under many obligations and will show their high appreciation of your past kindness. Wishing you abundance of success, I remain Your Friend J. J. Tearney

That Guthrie appreciates the many generous things the Miller Bros. have done for the city is evidenced by the above letter, which speaks for itself. Mr. Tearney had no difficulty whatever in securing the \$100 dollars necessary for the parade when the great 101 Ranch Wild West show comes to Guthrie on the 15th. The above letter was shown a special representative of the Leader who visited the ranch and circus grounds yesterday. The Miller boys were very much pleased over this evidence of the city's appreciation of their efforts and the will it shows the capital city has for them and their big enterprise.

The French Tramp.

The vagabond who is in the habit of a special product of Latin civilization. You do not meet him in England or Germany, though something like him exists among the half-savages of Russia. He is eminently Latin. In every sense of the word he is a rebel against society. He has had some education—few Frenchmen can escape it; he has read a little, perhaps, enough to kindle his brain of a will; and he has two aims in life—to live the free life of the wolf on the hill, and to injure as much as he can that great, monstrous, law-driven machine civilization. The lonely farm houses are defenseless against him. When all are busy at their work and pillages. It need be he kills. He has a distinct hatred for those who work and garner. As he passes he fires the hayricks—barns and buildings go up in smoke. That is where the Latin shows in him. One out of the law he is an anarchist. So long as he is crowded in innumerable acts of parliament, the Latin is merry and amiable; when the ropes are off he makes revolution—or fires hayricks.—From "The Vagabonds of France," by Vance Thompson, in the Quoting Magazine for April.

ARE FIRM AGAINST PROHIBITION

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the opposition to prohibition and use its influence toward removing it from the constitution.

Firm Stand Against Prohibition.

The preamble and resolution which will be adopted at today's meeting at Shawnee are as follows:

Whereas: The German-American association of Oklahoma, comprising a membership of over 25,000 American citizens of German descent and taxpayers of the state of Oklahoma is now assembled in executive session at Shawnee; and

Whereas: Prohibition, was forced upon the new state by a small majority at the first general election, and against the will of a large number of its citizens; and

Whereas: Since the introduction of that prohibition does not prohibit, and that alcoholic beverages are used now as before only in excess and in violation of the law; and

Whereas: Prohibition has caused a depreciation in the value of property, left our best business streets ragged and with empty buildings, deprived counties cities and towns of revenue necessary for the maintenance of their administrations, entangling them to reduce the salaries of officials and abolishing necessary improvements, greatly increasing the direct taxes levied on the people; and

Whereas: Prohibition by causing continuous violations of the law is dangerous to the morals of the people, leading to hypocrisy and contempt of all laws and to intemperance, and depriving the citizens of their individual rights and personal liberty; be it

Resolved, that we will continue in our opposition to prohibition and that we will use all honorable means to have it removed from the constitution of our state, so that every citizen can enjoy the privileges that were declared to belong to all mankind by our forefathers when asserting their independence of any foreign government, life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

Lifting a rusted tin sheet which covered the entrance, and peering in



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THE SHAME OF DIVORCE.

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt May Leave America.

New York, April 5.—With the emphatic approval of her husband's mother, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Sr., in her attitude of an injured wife, Mrs. Alfred (Gwynne) Vanderbilt has given her personal evidence in her suit for a divorce.

Mrs. Phillips said she and her husband had come here from Dec Moines, where he was employed as a clerk in a hotel. She said they were reduced to their present circumstances by the closing of the hotel about a month ago and the proprietors refusing to pay the salary of the employees. When they arrived here they were without funds and the husband was unable to find work. They have friends, she said, but had decided not to appeal to them.

She did not explain how they happened to direct their steps to the unrequited locality along the river bank.

The cave is about four by seven feet and a little more than five feet deep. The entrance is hardly large enough to admit the body of a full grown man. Their bed consists of a pile of leaves and branches, while their cooking utensils include only two or three tin cans and some broken pots that look as if they had been picked up at the city dump. Detectives are making a further investigation of the mysterious couple and their solitary life in the cave.

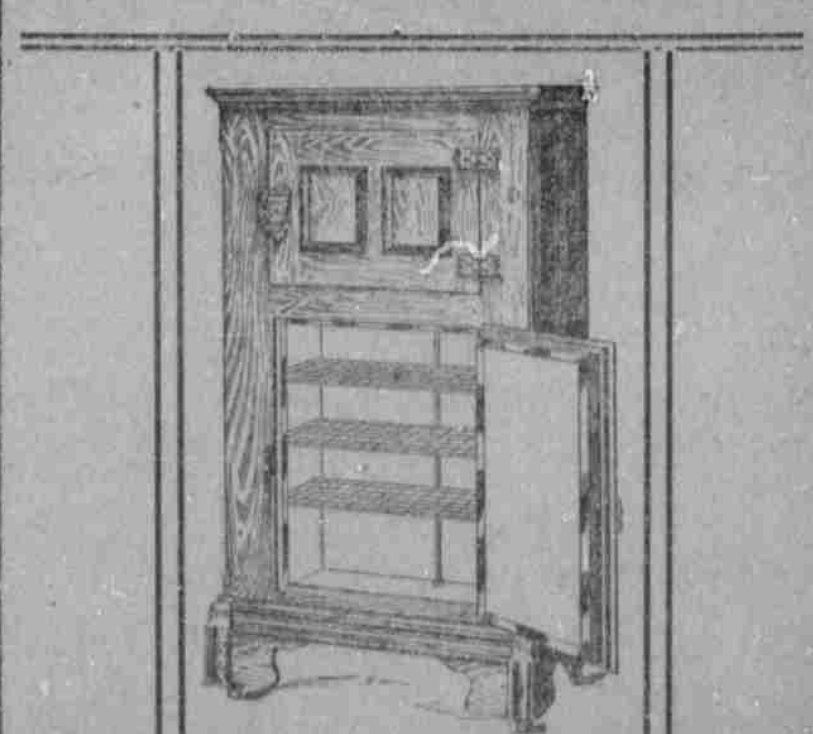
phatically sided with her daughter-in-law against her son. And in case of a final breach, it is declared she will add the young women to the end. In that declaration who have been watching the home in Lexington avenue of Mrs. Vanderbilt.

The elder Mrs. Vanderbilt has decided to leave New York city not later than April 20 for Paris, and she may make the French capital her home. This decision was formed abruptly, it is understood.

Friends declare that, partly because of the publicity which the family affairs of the Alfred Vanderbilts have brought upon the family, and a desire to be near to her daughter, Gladys, now the Countess Szechenyi, are responsible for this decision of Mrs. Vanderbilt to abandon her native land.

The fewer brothers and sisters a girl has the less advice she will receive after marriage on how to make a home happy.

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